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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.48(b)

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Patent Office to delete previously named inventors Theodore O. Johnson, Jr., Carolyn DiIanni Carroll and Shiwei Tao from the above-designated application. This Petition is being submitted with an Amendment, deleting these inventors.

In accordance with an election and cancellation of claims pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §121 in the above application, the invention of the above-named persons is no longer being claimed in the application. The above-named persons are not inventors of the subject matter now claimed in the application.

A check in the amount of \$130 as the fee under 37 CFR §1.17(i) for this Petition is enclosed herewith. However, should any other fees arise in conjunction with this Petition, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct such fees from Deposit Account No. 16-1448. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Should there be any questions regarding this Petition, please telephone applicants' representative at the number below.

Respectfully submitted,

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